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GOES TO CONGRESS

Congressman Charles K. Wheeler Leaves Tomorrow Night.

He Says Everybody Likes the Next Speaker of the House Mr. Cannon.

CLEVELAND A DEAD DUCK

Congressman Charles K. Wheeler leaves tomorrow for Washington to round out the end of his last term as congressman from this district. He expects the session to be dull one and will probably not be absent from his law practice here very long.

"I think 'Uncle Joe' Cannon has a walk-over for the speakership of the house," he said today to a reporter. "He is a very fine man and one liked by both sides. In fact everybody likes him. While he will be speaker, Dalszell, a very able man will doubtless be the house leader.

"Mr. Cannon is an honest man, if God ever made an honest man. He is simply unapproachable, and I am sure that it would be no exaggeration to say that since he went to congress 25 years ago he has saved the United States ten billions of dollars.

"I don't think there will be anything done to the tariff at this session. In fact Cannon's election will be a victory for the tariff men, for he is a high tariff man in every respect.

"There will probably, in my opinion, be nothing done with the trusts. You see congress cannot afford to disturb them.

"This is about all that I know of public interest in connection with the coming session of congress. In my opinion practically nothing will be done."

In discussing the Democratic political situation, Congressman Wheeler declared that he would never vote for Grover Cleveland. That if he were nominated he would leave his party before he would vote for him. "I would not vote for any man, not even my own brother, for a third term," he explained. "This is one of the reasons, and I am confident is sufficient, why I would never vote for Mr. Cleveland. But I don't think he will ever be nominated."

JUST TALKED.

NO MEETING OF THE MEDICAL SOCIETY LAST NIGHT.

There was no meeting of the McCracken County Medical society last night, as both the president, Dr. Holland, and Secretary Horace Rivers were absent. Several doctors got together yesterday afternoon and decided to hold a meeting in the office of Dr. P. H. Stewart, but there were so few members in attendance that the meeting was declared off. The doctors sat in the office several hours and discussed important cases, but the meeting will not be recorded. The next regular meeting night will be on Wednesday two weeks from date, and will be held in the offices of Dr. J. T. Reddick. A program will be arranged and all the business intended for last night's meeting will be transacted at the next meeting.

OFFICERS ELECTED

PLEASANT MEETING OF THE RETAIL GROCERS' ASSOCIATION.

The Retail Grocers' Association, which was a year old yesterday, celebrated at its hall over Ochslehaeger and Walker's. The regular business meeting was first held, at which Mr. Henry A. Potter was elected president. Mr. U. S. Walston vice president and Mr. W. H. Farley was re-elected secretary and Mr. Henry Kamleiter treasurer. Mr. Farley, in recognition of his excellent services, was given a handsome gold-headed umbrella by the other members.

A delightful spread followed the business and all had an enjoyable time. Messrs. W. F. Paxton and Frank Per went to Nortonville this morning in the interest of their coal mines.

THANKSGIVING DAY

A Quiet Celebration in Paducah Marks the Anniversary.

Services at All the Churches and Everybody Enjoying a Holiday.

MANY STRANGERS ARE HERE

Thanksgiving day has been quietly celebrated in Paducah. Most of the people have enjoyed a holiday, and are thankful for that, if nothing else.

The banks and postoffice are closed, and most of the manufacturing concerns.

The schools closed yesterday until Monday morning next, and the stores closed at noon, thus giving all the clerks a holiday, as well as the proprietors.

In the forenoon there were services in most of the churches, and good congregations attended all of them.

The various public buildings were practically deserted and there were no courts. There was prevailing dullness everywhere, especially after noon.

The inmates of the various prisons and charitable institutions, as usual, enjoyed a good dinner and the prisoners in the lockup had a holiday as well as the customary good dinner.

The people have a great deal to be thankful for in Paducah, especially as the whole country is so prosperous and happy, with such excellent prospects for a continuation of it.

A great many strangers are in the city from the surrounding towns to spend the day and attend the opera and a large crowd is at The Kentucky this afternoon to attend the matinee.

Mrs. Louise Maxwell and Miss Katherine Whitfield left this morning for Eddyville, where they will assist in Thanksgiving services at the state penitentiary. The services will be conducted by the Endeavor Society and there will be visitors from Hopkinsville, Kuttawa, Paducah and many other nearby cities in attendance. The Paducah visitors will return this afternoon late.

County Clerk Charles E. Graham is today observing Thanksgiving and his office was locked securely. Judge Lightfoot was not at his office and things at the court house came to a standstill this morning except a brief session of circuit court.

GUESS AGAIN.

SOCIAL PREPARED FOR THE Y. M. C. A. TONIGHT.

The arrangements for the "Guess Social" at the Y. M. C. A. tonight have been completed and Secretary Hanna thinks it will be a success in every particular.

He has made special arrangements for this affair and hopes that the attendance will be even larger than anticipated. There will be musical features, short addresses, recitations and a general informal social. The principal feature will be the guessing. There are two sets of questions of seven each, and prizes are offered for the successful guessers. There will be a basketball game and other athletic features.

Piano duet.
Violin solo—Miss Whitefield.
Recitation—Mrs. Dr. Duley.
Soprano solo—Mrs. Will Hopkins.
One of the attractions will be an exhibition basketball game between two association teams.

COLDEST YET.

TEMPERATURE WENT TO 29 LAST NIGHT IN PADUCAH.

Snow has been falling all forenoon, but the flakes melted as rapidly as they fell. There was a great change in the temperature last night, and the lowest recorded was 29 degrees, three below freezing point. There was considerable sleet on the ground this morning, but it soon melted. Ice was plentiful also. There was no weather report today, owing to its being a national holiday.

Mr. Charles T. Trachert, of Louisville, is in the city today on business.

A Bogie Man Appears Among the Officers of Third Class Charter.



ELECTED DIRECTORS.

FRATERNITY BUILDING COMMITTEE MET YESTERDAY AFTERNOON.

The Masonic and Odd Fellows Building committee met yesterday afternoon and elected directors as follows: Messrs. Fred Kamleiter, Charles Weille, Charles E. Jennings, P. J. Beckinbaugh, J. H. Ashcraft and J. E. Wilhelm, the latter being the only new one.

The contract for erecting the fraternity building was signed up with Contractor Hymarsh, who furnished a bond of \$25,000. The bids for the old Rankin property that is to be torn down to make way for the new fraternity building were opened and rejected, as they were too low, and the old house will be sold at private sale.

Contractor Hymarsh will probably not get to work for two or three weeks yet. Mr. J. I. Langston, who now occupies the house, will move into the Lewson property at Seventh and Broadway.

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LONG ILLNESS ENDED

REMAINS OF MRS. ELIZA MOBLEY TAKEN TO TENNESSEE FOR BURIAL.

Mrs. Eliza Mobley, aged 38, wife of J. H. Mobley, died last night at the family residence on Clements street after a long illness. She and her husband and children came here from Palmyra, Tenn., and Mr. Mobley is employed at the Cooperage company. In addition to a husband she leaves six children. The funeral will take place at her former home in Tennessee.

MARRIAGE IN CHRISTIAN.

Hopkinsville, Nov. 27—B. A. Candler, a prominent young physician of South Christian, and Miss Maggie Boyd, daughter of W. H. Boyd of Newstead, were married at the home of the bride.

Mr. Eugene Edwards is about the same today. He was improving up until yesterday, when he changed again for the worse and has shown no improvement since.

IN BANDIT STYLE

Whole Town Terrorized in Ohio by Robbers Yesterday.

A Gang Makes a Raid in Michigan and Kills Assistant Postmaster.

NO ARRESTS WERE MADE

Akron, O., Nov. 27—Akron was yesterday the scene of a desperate attempt to rob the Exchange bank. The town was taken by the gang of safe blowers before daylight.

The robbers captured and bound the two night telephone operators and cut all the telephone wires leading out of the local exchange. They had bound and gagged a physician whose office is in the same block with the Exchange bank.

The first explosion of dynamite at the bank roused the citizens who hastened to the scene with firearms. Many shots were exchanged but the robbers escaped without any booty.

The bank building was badly wrecked. The gang escaped in a stolen rig.

FOUGHT OFF BY CITIZENS.

Warren, Mich., Nov. 27—Oint E. Osborne, assistant postmaster and proprietor of the general store in this village, was shot by one of a gang of robbers that entered the Warren bank and blew open the safe. The explosion aroused Osborne, who telephoned to one of his neighbors that he thought robbers were at work in either the bank or postoffice.

All the telephones in the village are connected at night, and it is thought that the crackers heard the bell in the bank ring and listened to the conversation. Osborne then started down the street, and had gone but a short distance when one of the robbers, acting as an outside guard, shot him in the face with a charge of buckshot, killing him instantly. Then, without securing anything from the safe, the burglars fled.

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A JUBILEE ADDRESS

Rabbi Enelow Will be the Orator at Louisville for Celebration

His Church to Commemorate Its Sixtieth Anniversary January 12.

HIS RAPID RISE CONTINUES

The congregation of Temple Adas Israel at Louisville to which Rabbi H. G. Enelow went from here, is preparing to celebrate its sixtieth anniversary January 12. This is one of the largest and most influential Jewish churches in the country. During the years of the ministry of the lamented Adolph Moses his fame was carried far and wide. The original synagogue of this congregation was located on Fourth street, between Green and Walnut at Louisville and the present edifice was completed in 1867.

The Temple Adas Israel has always been prominent in American Judaism. Among its rabbis are some of the best known exponents of the reformed faith in this country. Rabbi Emil G. Hirsch, of Sinai Temple of Chicago, whose erratic utterances have made him famous, was the immediate predecessor of Rabbi Moses. The career of Rabbi Moses is well known. His death was a distinct loss to American Judaism. Rabbi Enelow, who now fills the pulpit, is a brilliant young minister, and was until two years ago pastor of Temple Israel in Paducah, where he is still very popular, and is recognized as one of the coming divines in the United States.

Rabbi Enelow has been selected to deliver the jubilee address on January 11, and it is to be a masterpiece of eloquence, if his friends' expectations are realized. The music is to be a feature and many members of the congregation who live elsewhere will gather at Louisville to assist in the celebration. Rabbi Enelow has rapidly risen since he left Paducah, and is now one of the most prominent and popular ministers in Louisville.

THE CITY'S TAXES

Over \$100,000 Spent Since June 1st Last.

The City Has Borrowed Extensively, Besides—No New Taxes Until June 1.

LESS THAN \$50,000 NOW DUE

The penalty on the second half of city taxes will be attached in a few days, December 1. There have been collected under the present tax levy \$100,948.51. This is divided as follows:

June	\$50,671.78
July	21,202.32
August	5,630.81
September	4,694.94
October	4,799.71
November	11,166.33
Total	\$98,225.89

The penalties collected amount to \$350.47. The poll taxes collected amount to \$2,372.25. This is a total of over \$100,000, as stated above out of a possible \$145,000, and all of it has been expended already. In addition the city has been borrowing for some time past, and when all the taxes due the city on the present levy are in there will barely be enough to pay off the outstanding indebtedness, leaving no more money due until after June 1.

The new tax levy will be made some time in March, but the taxes collected will be on assessments of September 15 and it will be early in June before there are any new taxes in, after the remainder on the present levy is collected.

The tax levy called for about \$165,000 but owing to errors reduction and delinquents the city will fall \$20,000, and doubtless more, short of \$165,000.